The Trust Deeds Given for Terminals at Gloucester Allowed to go by Default.

OYSTER LANDS IN DISPUTE

Conflict Narrowly Averted Between White Oystermen of Poquoson and Negroes.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

YORKTOWN, VA., Dec. 12.—Considerable dissatisfaction is expressed at the fall term of circuit not having yet been held. A considerable portion of unfinished business needs attention, and a substitute judge is much desired to hold the substitute.

The cyster-bottom in dispute between B. H. Evan, and Capt. Geo. E. Binon on one side and several Gloucestermen was carried before the State Board of Fisheries at its last session, and the ground was ordered to be assigned to Messrs, Evan and Benon. The land in question lies just off the mouth of Queen's Creek, and has nover been assigned to any one. Sometime since a bloody encounter with these Gloucester people was only averted by the coolness and nerve displayed by Mr. Evan.

WENT BY DEFAULT.

It is now learned here that the trust deeds given by the parties recrescenting the Chesipeake Western Rallroad, at Gloucester Point have been allowed to go by default being long past due. As yet no steps have been taken to foredees the deads. The prospect of a terning helps constructed at the point which the project carried with it, is considered a thing of very distant and willkely to Latter.

No clue to the mystery which surrounds the drowning of the watchmar at Evan's oyster house off Muddy Channel, near the mouth of Pajisia River a week or two has not be in found yet.

The man whose pame was also Evans was found with his arm tied up in the painter to a skiff moved to the house, which fact seven, to be unsattled us to whether he committed suicide or met with foul play and put in this position to avert suspicion.

His place has been filled by Capt. Geo Bush, of Hampton, who preceded him.

Bush, of Hampton, who preceded him.

A conflict was narrowly averted be-A conflict was narrowly averted between white and negro ovstermen on these same grounds during the past week. The proprietor attempted to substitute the white men of Poquson with a lot of colored tongers from Hampton. Both Mr. Evans and the negroes were quietly met and informed they could not operate. Mr. Evans informed his white amployes his intention was to only use these men for a short period. As a matter of fact the whites returned to work and the darkles to Hampton.

A number of young ladies and gen-

FLINCH CLUB.

A number of young lades and gentlemen who move in the social circles of the county, met during the week and organized a club to engage in the enchanting game of flinch. They were the guests of Mr. George E. Bryan at Since Theorem Wales the lettel guest. cachanting game of lines. Hely were the guests of Mr. George E. Bryan at Swan Tavern, where the initial games took place. Tipsey cake and punch was served after the game and much enjoyed. The meeting places are to be held at Swan Tavern and Lockeys.

Those forming the Yorktown Flinch Club are Misses J. V. Bryan, L. M. Bryan, B. B. Lackey, C. H. Lackey and C. E. Garrar; Messrs, R. W. Malone, C. A. Hubbard, L. M. Hancock, J. B. Sergent, J. H. Poindexter are numbered among the gentlemen.

Mr. John Graves, of Crab Neck, probably the oldest man in the county, and formerly quite prominent in politics, was understood to be in a dying condition in the early part of the week. He has just been elected overseer of the poor.

YOUNG HENDRIX DEAD.

Received Wounds While Insane That Caused His Death.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) EMORY, VA., December 12.-W. S. Hendrix, of Abingdon, Va., was caued away from college yesterday on account of the death of his brother at the Marion Hos-

About one week ago his brother, Charles, became Insane, and while a number of men were trying to arrest him he threw a rock, breaking an old man's log. The Abingdon police were then sent for, who arrested him, but on the way to the jail young Hendrix got loose and ran back to the house of the old man whose leg he had broken, and forced his way into the house, whereupon he was shot and severely wounded.

verely wounded.

He then escaped to an old building, where he was finally captured, and from thence taken to the hospital, where he died yesterday.

Charles Hendrik belonged to one of the most prominent families in the county.

New Enterprise.

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(Srecial to The Times-Dispatch.)

RADFORD, VA., Dec. 12.—Radford has
a new enterprise in the Morgan-P att
Manufacturing Company, a firm composed of gentlemen from Portsmouth, Ohio,
organized in September for the purposa
of manufacturing butchers shewers, hammer and sledge handles.

The new company occupies the old
Sturdervant Factory. They have been
busy building and getting in machinery,
and buying lumber, About sixteen men
sre employed, and when the works start
up the pay roll will be increased.

Mr. R. P. Morgan is president, Mr. O.
H. Smith, secretary and treasurer, and
Mr. C. W. Pratt, superintendent of the
company.

company.

Street Railway Activity.

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(Roccial to The Times-Dispatch.)

SALISBURY, N. C. Dec. 12.—During the past few days much activity has been noticed on the part of the Salisbury—Spencer street railway officials, prominent among whom is Mr. J. P. Hornaday, of Cincinnatti, and Mr. Knox George, a contractor, of New Orleans. The greater part of the necessary material has been ordered and a large amount has already been delivered. The company has been capitalized at \$40,000, one-half of this amount having been disposed of in the shape of bonds to A. L. Rich & Company, of Cincinnatti.

It is proposed that \$200,000 be expended in the construction of the system which will include some ten miles of track and the creetion of a power and light plant. Only very severe weather will prevent the rapid prosecution of the work, however, the completion of the system.

Municipal Investigation.



of its quality. It equals any French wine in bouquet and flavor, and costs only one-half. Why pay for foreign labels?

"GOLD SEAL" is sold every-where and served at all leading clubs and cafes. URBANA WINE CO., Urbana, N. Y., Sole Maker.

THE WEEK IN FREDERICKSBURG.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
FREDERICKSBURG, VA., Dec. 12—
This has been a bright week socially, and there have been a number of entertainments. Prominent among these was tainments. Prominent among these was the event at Kenmore on Tuesday night, when the Daughters of the Revolution gave a reception, listened to an address on "John Paul Jones," by Capiain S. J. Quinn, and enjoyed a programme of old songs by accomplished musicians songs by accomplished musicians of our home talent, and enjoyed the refreshments which were gracefully served by the young girls, who, with their escorts, after the older persons had departed for their homes, closed the occasion with a merry dance.

Card parties have been another inter-esting feature, where besides the pleag-ure of playing were chances for pretty prizes for good playing, and duinty re-

prizes for good playing, and dainty re-freshments enjoyed.

Dancing also claimed its share of popularity, and from nine until after mid-night on Mopday night, Convention Hall presented a bright and pretty spectacle, as the young people gracefully swayed to and fro through the mazes of the

Music lovers on Friday night enjoyed Music lovers or. Friday night enjoyed a recital given at College Hall by the pupils of the music department of Fredericksburg College, the programme of which consisted of selections by the orchestra, the chorus of girl voices, and solos of voice, piano and violin.

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The Dramatic Cub of Fredetcksburg her home in King George county after a pleasant visit to Miss Ellen Wallace. Dr. Powhatan Moneure and two daughters, of Beallton, were visitors to the city this week.

Mr. W. L. Burruss is visiting Mrs. T.-

PETERSBURG SOCIETY.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) (Special to The Times-Dispaten.)
PETERSBURG, VA., Dec. 10.—The
Wednesday Music. Club met this week
with Mrs. W. H. Mann. Beethoven was
the subject, and the following selections
from the works '6f this composer were
rendered by the members of the club;
Reading, Formation of the Sonata, Miss
Trances, Beam.

Allegro, opus 31, No. 2, Mrs. C. D. Witherspoon. Andante con Variazioni Miss Mary

Presto Agitato, opus 27, No. 2, Miss Songs, "From Grief I Cannot Measure"

"Robin sings in the apple-tree" (3) "Sans Tol." Guy d'Hardelot. (4) "Good-night, Sweet Dreams." Bis-

(5) "My Heart at Thy Sweet Voice" from

(5) "My Heart at Thy Sweet Voice From Samson and Dellia, C. Saint Saens.
(6) "Slumber boat." Gaynor, Mrs. George Warren.
The club had as its guests Mrs. George Warren, of Richmond: Miss Mary Stuart Buford, of Lawrenceville; Miss Helen Page, of Berryville; Miss Janie Vaughan,

Page, of Berryville; Miss Janie Vaughan, Mrs. A. D. Hamilton, Mrs. Patrick Ham-

Mrs. A. D. Hamilton, Mrs. Patrick Hamilton.

The next meeting of the club will be held January (th. 1091, at the home of Miss Leeta Harriey.

Airs: Harris Donnan entertained a delightful company at bridge whist Thursday, morning. Among her guests were Mrs. W. A. Bragg, Mrs. Patterson, Mrs. McClery, Mrs. Harry Stratton, Mrs. John Mann, Mrs. Robert Hamilton, Mrs. Waverly Wilkins, Mrs. Pryor Jones, Mrs. Alexander D. Hamilton, Mrs. Proston L. Rober and Miss Annie Wilson.

Mrs. LeRoy Roper had several of her friends to play an informal game of bridge whist Tuesday evening. Miss Annie Willson won the lady's prize and Mr. P. H. Drewry the gentleman's.

Mrs. J. Gordon Rennie was the charming hostess at a euchre party Thursday afternoon.

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Mrs. W. L. Venable was in charge of the tea at the Country Club Saturday afternoon, and was assisted by many young ladles. The necasion was one of the most delightful of the season.

Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett Roper lave announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Emily Bartlett Roper, to Mr. George Pollok Burgwyn, of Jackson, N. C. The marriage will take place in February at their residence, on Market Street.

Street.

Miss Nellie McGill Paige, of Berryville, is the guest of Miss Helen Leavenworth.

Miss. William Holladay, of Savannah,
Ga., who has been visiting the Misses Collier in this city, has gone to Wil-

Collier in this city, has gold a minston, N. C.

Miss Lee Booth has returned to Petersburg after a pleasant stay in Norfolk.

Mrs. Mary Donnan Willson is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Preston Roper, in this

BRISTOL SOCIAL.

(Special to The Times-Disputch.) BRISTOL. VA. Dec. 12.-Philanthropic ladies of the church, headed by Miss Car-rie Norvell, organized a Christmas Club

authors, to the delight of the audience.

Hon. J. W. Mort, representative of Bristol in the Virginia Legislature, has returned to Eychmond after a visit to home folks. Senator Byars, of the same Legislature, is here attending court and visiting his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Timberlake, the latter formerly Miss Anna Faw of Bristol, passed through here during the week en route from Stainton, Va., to Florida.

Mr. E. H. Seneker, Bristol's pioneer merchant and business man, now rettred, has been the guest of his daughter, Mrs. P. H. Wofford, at Johnson City, for a few days

Mr. and Mrs. James D. Tate and Mrs. Bonhan, of Chilhowle, Va., were guests of Bristol friends this week.

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Mrs. Bonham, of Chilhowie, Va., were
guests of Bristol friends this week,
Mrs. J. B. Cox and Mrs. E. M. Sinck, of
Johnson City, are visiting Mrs. Cox's
father, ex-Congressman Richardson, at
Gate City, Va
Mrs. J. A. Dickey is at home after
spending some time in Baltimore.

AFTON AIRS.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.). AFTON, VA., Dec. H .- Mrs. T. W. Goodloe is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Cloud, and Mrs. Lipscomb, in Charlottes-

ville.

Mr. Douglas Mac Gregor, of Richmond, spent last week at "Locust Dale."

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McCue are in Ashland, Va., whither they were called by the severe illness of their sister, Miss Mary Hall.

Park Goedloe has returned to

Mr. Robt. Goodloe has returned to Kentucky after several weeks visit to his father, Mr. J. R. Goodloe of the Af-ton House. Visitors at Afton last week were Miss Fern of Willsborg and her guest. Miss

Earp, of Hillsboro, and her guest, allss Dorothy Putnam, of New York city. Large shipments of turkeys are being made from Afton. The good prices offered in the markets are clearing up Nelson of turkeys and

eggs.

LOSS BY GAME LAW.

Hunting Parties No More Come to Board and Hunt.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
COMORN, VA., Dec. 12.—Some confusion and much dissatisfaction exists here about the new game law. No game war dens have been appointed .or this county, and parties are trespassing on the pit-

ty, and parties are trespassing on the pit-vate lands as of yore.

It is argued that non-residents will not come here and pay the required heems for the privilege of hunting, and the coun-ty will therefore lose hundreds of dollars by missing boarders from cities.

Some of the people here realize good money every fall and whiter by board-ing and hauling hunters from cities and Northern States. It has been learned that these reangle will have no more boarders

these people will have no more boarders of the kind, although many of them have gone to large expense to prepare for caring for hunting parties.

Funeral Services.

The funeral of Mrs. Ella Hammend will take place at 3 o'clock to-morrow afternoon from Union Station Methodist

been capitalized at \$400,000, one-half of this mount having been disposed of in the shape of bonds to A. L. Rich & Company, of Cincinnatti.

It is proposed that \$200,000 be expended in the construction of the system which will include some ten miles of track and the crection of a power and light plant. Only very severe weather will prevent the rapid prosecution of the work, however, the contract allows until April ist, for the completion of the system.

Municipal Investigation.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

BRISTOL, VA., December 12.—Mayor W. L. Rice, of Bristol, Va., has named the following gentlemen as a committee to investigate the alloged irragularities in the dealings of the Council of that city; Virginians—Joseph L. Kelly, J. D. Mitchell, John R. Dickey, James A. Stone and W. B. Boyles, Tennesseeans—Judge C. J. St. John, John B. Bumgardner, Dr. J. P. Hicks and Asson Kins.

SEAL EXPORTS

This End of Trade With Great Britain Shows Marked Decline.

THE IMPORTS ARE LARGER

Value of British Goods Coming to United States More Than \$27,000,000 Over 1901.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 12 .- Some nierosting features go to make up the issue of the dally consular reports to the department of commerce and labor to-day. The articles of greatest interest and importance is the one which is given first place in the issue, and is a comprehensive statement of the exports from the United States to England in the course of the past fiscal year and the

FREDERICKSBURG.

College is preparing to give an entertainment at the Opera House on Tuesday inight, December 22d, when "A Confederate Spy" will be presented. The club has a number of members with unusual tation.

Miss Virginia Carmichael is visiting friends in Norfolk, and on Wedne'day evening of this week was the guest of honor at a progressive euchre party given by Mrs. Lewis Hilliard.

Mrs. Maurice T. Church left this week for Honesdale, Pa., where she will be fine guest of her parents.

Mrs. Charles Ruflin was a visitor to Richmond this week.

Miss Mercer Crutchfield, who has been visiting Miss Sallie Segar, in Middlesex county, has returned home.

Miss Alice Gammon has returned to her home here after an extended visit to friends in Richmond and other points.

Judge John E. Mason and family have moved from their country home in King George county, to this city for the winter.

Miss Eleanor Johnston, of New York, is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Johnston.

Miss Minnie Smith, who has been visiting Smith, who has been visiting Johnston, of New York, is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Johnston.

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George county, of New York, Miss Eleanor Johnston, of New York, is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Johnston.

Miss Minnie Smith, who has been visiting Miss Eva Tyler, has returned to her home in King George.

Miss M. M. Mason, of Philadelphia, is the guest of Miss Edmo Fitzhugh.

Miss Stella Dickerson has returned to Miss Minnie Smith Miss Minnie Minnie Miss Minnie Miss Minnie Miss Minnie Minnie Minnie Minnie Minnie Minnie Minnie Minnie

1802, as com-

This shows an increase in 1802, as compared with 1898, of \$45,222,120.

With reference to some of this increase, it may be pointed out that apparel and haberdashery increased from \$325,000 in 1893 to \$812,140 in 1902; cottons, from \$0,244,009 to \$9,802,440; flax and hemp, from \$458,475 to \$767,975; linens, from \$8,17,440 to \$11,410,675; lron, wrought and unwrought, from \$4,833,555 to \$18,861,440; oil and floor cloth, from \$208,810 to \$337,860; telegraphic wire and appartus, from \$77,925 to \$1,941,110; and wool, sheep and lamb's, from \$42,515 to \$3,223,200. The large increase in coal, coke, and patent fuel was undoubtedly due to the shortage in our home output \$a_1\$.

FOREIGN EXPORTS—In exports of foreign and colonial merchandise to the United States in 1902 from Great Britain the total exceeded that of 1901 by \$314,465 and rose from \$50,009,940 in 1838 to \$90,000, the total increase of all exports from Great Britain to the United States undoubted states during the five years 1838-1992 amounting to \$72,000,00.

RADFORD SOCIAL.

RADFORD, VA., Dec. 12.-The enter tainment given by the Girls' Dramatic Club of Wadsworth High School Friday night was much enjoyed, and reflected oredit on the school. "Aunt Susan Jones" was presented by pupils of the Echool, the leading role being taken by Miss Alice Jones. Miss Edith Dodd was fine in songs and recitation, and the rendition of Liszt's Raphsodle Hongrois by Miss Moorman, the new music teacher, was brilliant.

by Miss Moorman, the flew cher, was brilliant.

Mr. E. S. Jones, an old-time favorite, sans, and the entire programme was attractive and well-carried out. Twenty nine dollars was cleared for the plano total.

fund.

Miss Mary Ingles entertained the Current Events Club Tuesday afternoon at

rent Events Club Tuesday atternoon at La Riviera.

Mrs. W. A. Wilson was hostess to the Current Events Club, Wednesday afternoon. The meeting was mostly of a social nature, and very elaborate refreshments were served.

The Woman's Guild of Grace Episcopal church, held a bazaar Thursday night, netting about \$70.

Mrs. E. S. Jones and children, Thomas and Sophia, returned from a visit to Baltimore Thursday.

Ex-Governor, and Mrs. Tyler spent the week at Bell Hampton, their Pulaski estate.

estate.

Mr. Fred Harvey returned Monday from Chicago, where he attended the Cat-

tle Show. Misses Nannie and Lottie Griffin, of Bedford, are visiting Mrs. E. C. Adams.
The Cotillion Club will give a hop to

night.
Col. J. Rush Miller left Wednesday for Florida, to spend the winter, Joining Mrs. Miller and her sister, Mrs. Sheler, at

Miller and her sister. Mrs. Sheler, at Chattanooga.
Interesting installation services were held at the Lutheran Church Sunday, the exercises being conducted by Prof. F. V. N. Painter, D. D., of Roanoke, and Rev. L. G. M. Miller, of Roanoke, and Rev. L. G. M. Miller, of Roanoke Union services were held at Central Presbyterian church this week by Rev. E. S. Fox and Rev. L. M. Irvin. On Thursday night Rev. Mr. Peerle, a returned missionary, delivered an interesting address on Japan.
Rev. E. S. Fox has purchased and moved into a home on Sixth Street.
Mr. Earnest Farmer was brought home Wednesday seriously ill with pneumonia.

GLOUCESTER.

(Snecial to The times-Dispatch.)
GLOUCESTER C. H., VA., Doc. 12.—
The presence of many guests in the county is the occasion of much entertaining in Gloucester.

n Gloucester.
Mr. and Mrs. Roland Clarke gave a Mr. and Mrs. Roland Clarke gave a reception on Wednesday. The guests of honor being Mrs. Ludlow, of New Yo k, and Mr. and Mrs. Lowis Marshall Byrd, of Gloucester. Mr. and Mrs. Clarke have a most attractive home on the Waro River.

The bright glow of the firelight from the stone chimney place the soft light of many lamps, the delicious refreshments, the many charming guests and the gracious welcome of the host and hostess made the occasion a delightful one.

On Friday Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Withers, of Severnby, gave a reception in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Bryan, of Richmond. The ever hospitable doors of Vin

mond. The ever hospitable doors of Un

PE-RU-NA IDEAL REMEDY FOR WINTER ILLS.

DECREASE Valuable Health Hints for December.

One good warm bath a week is enough for December. The cold towel bath for those in vigorous health, or the cold, dry rub with a coarse towel every morning for others, is sufficient to keep the skin in good condition. The frequent use of water during December should be avoid-

ed.

Siceping Room.

The sleeping room should be well ventilated and keft cool. No one should sleep in a hot room. Before going out in the morning gargle the throat with cold water, and splash the face and neck with cold water. This is a perventative to catching cold. Those who are especially liable to cold should take a tablespoonful of Peruna before breakfast

Exercise.

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A brisk walk in the open air before the mid-day meal is necessary for good health. Those who have a touch of catarrh or a cold should take a tablespoonfui of Peruna before the mid-day meal.

Confinement. Those confined to the house or office Those confined to the house or office during the afternoon should be sure to take some exercise before dinner or the evening meal. December being the most trying month, as it ushers in winter, all people who have ever been troubled with eathern should take a tablespoonful of Feruna before supper.

Sunlight.

'The long nights and short days of December make sunlight so scarce that every one should get as much of the direct rays of the sun as possible. Let sun into the house. Walk on the sunny side of the street. Keep in the sun all you possibly can. Take a tablespoonful of Peruna at bed time.

Dr. W. Green, No. 330½ South Spring Street, Los Angeles, Cal., writes: "If people would take tess medicine and pay more attentions."

Los And pay more attention to the general laws governing health they
would be better
off. I am also
satisfied that the
majority of patent
modifiens are at medicines are at best almost worth-less and unfit to

take or cure anything. I have found, however, one exception to this rule, and that is in Peruna. I have often prescribed it in cases of catarrh the respiratory or digestive organs."-Dr. W. Green.

Ex-Secretary of State of W. Va.

Hon. J. M., Flpes, ex-Secretary of State
of West Virginia, in a letter from No. 316
T Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.,
writes: "A large number of my acquaintances suffering from catarrhal disorders,
as well as debility of the system, falling
to find other remedies have been induced
to try Peruna. Its beneficial effects have
heen so pronounced and the relief afforded has been so substantial that I have
no hesitation in giving it my hearty recommendation to all persons who have
been afflicted with that complaint."—Hon.
J. M. Pipea. J. M. Pipes.

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Endorses Pe-ru-na.

catarrh of the throat and head and found no longer wonder at the remarkable suc-

ville. I can now readily understand why so-many officials in the city and county service use Peruna and no other medicine. Henceforth it will be my family medicine. It is a household blessing."-E. B. Yeager, Deputy Register.

Over fifty members of Congress, twenty-eight Generals of our Army, Over lifty members of Congress, twenty-eight Generals of our Army, Governors, Admirals, Mayors, prominent lawyers, physicians, business men, club m.sh.,
literary men and scholars of prominence and many other men of national reputation endorse Peruna. Thousands of people in the humbler walks of life use it
as a family medicine. Used once in the home it always stays. Almost all the
diseases of winter are due to catarrh; Peruna cures catarrh wherever located.

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number of invited guests, who were most charmingly received by their host and hostess. Severnby leads itself well to such functions, and the affair was a very Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bryan, Mrs. W. G. Bryan, Miss Lyons, and Mrs. Farland, of Richmond; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis M. Byrd, Mr. and Mrs. Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. R. Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. F. Dabney, Mr. and Mrs. J. Tabb, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Taliaferro, Mr. and Mrs. H. Taliaferro, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Allowed Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. J. Meredith, Mr. and Mrs. Noland, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Mathew Wallis, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Mott, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Mott, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Mott, Mr. and Mrs. Harwood; Mesdames Fahr, Janvier, Urquehart, of Washington, and Farland, of Richmond; Misses Elizabet, Bryan, of Hampton; Mary Diesendorft, of Detroit; Frances Nye Hord, of New Yo.k; Brock Byrd, Margaret Tabb, Kate Clopton, Saliy Perrin, Mary and Fanny Jones, Leah Taliaferro, Lee and Evelyn Dabney, Ners Taliaferro, Eastern William (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ASHLAND, VA., Dec. 12.—The effect of local option in Ashland is very produced the now now been in operation for the first all and the persence of a large assembly of their friend in St. Matthew's Lutheran options that time since the war. The law has now been in his time since the war. The scans is gone. Mayor Scott states that not a case due to drunkenness has been one of the decided functions of the season operation for the first and the scanson of their well in St. Matthew's Lutheran operation for the first lime since the war. The scanson operation for the first lime scanson operation for the first lime scans in the church was revery prettily decorated. One of the pleasantest of the church was revery prettily decorated. One of the presence of a large assembly of their friend in St. Matthew's Lutheran church, Wednesday in the church, Wednesday in the church wednesday in the church was revery prettile friend in St. M brilliant one. Among the guests were: Leah Taliaferro, Lee and Evelyn Da Nora Taliaferro, Fanny James, Lelia Du Nora Tallaterro, Fanny James, Lea Bu-val, Evelyn and Mary Lee; Messrs. Cherry, James, Perrin, Nicolson, G. B. Tallaterro, Dr. Crignan, A. and F. Davis, Richard Jones. The Richmond guests came by the York River steamer and returned the next

Mrs. Courtney Selden left on Monday for Newport News. The Misses Diesendorff, who have been

The Missos Diesendorff, who have ocen guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry O. Sanders, have returned to Detroit.

Mesdames Urquehart, of Washington; Farland, of Richmond, and Misses Bryan, of Hampton, and Brook Byrd, of Gloucester, and Mr. Montgomery Clarke, of New York, are guests of a house party of Saventhy.

at Severnby.

Mrs. Mary Jones is the guest of Judge and Mrs. Catlett.
Miss Heflybower is the guests of Mrs.

L. C. Catlett. Mr. Manton and Miss Wye Hord Dun Mr. Manton and Miss was raid bankirk, of New Yerk, are spending the winter at the rectory,
Mr. and Mrs. Ashby Jones have gone to North Carolina.
Miss Gertrude Massey, of Maryland, is

Mr. Harold Hopkins is the guest of Mr. Janney, and Mr. Nat Hopkins, of Mr.

SUITH BUSIUN.

(Special to The Times-Despatch.)

SOUTH DOSTON, VA., Dec. 12.—The laides of the Presbyterian Church held a bazaar from Thursday antil Saturday night. They realized very handsomely The proceeds are for the benefit of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Lawson entertained a number of friends Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The dinner was to commemorate the anniversary of the birth of Dir. Lawson.

of Mr. Lawson.

Mr. W. D. Hill, who has been in Chicago for several weeks, has returned

home.

Messrs, R. M. C. Glenn & Co., have sold their large, four-story brick stemmery and machinery to the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, of Winston, N. C.

THE WEEK IN ASHLAND.

Sam Janney, and Mr. Nat Hopzins, of Mr.
R. Janney.
Mr. J. Thomas Cussons, of Doswell, Va., and Miss Carrle Holmes, were married in Washington last Wednesday.
Mr. SOUTH BOSTON.
(Special to The Times-D.spatch.)
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WILMINGTON, N. C. Dec. 12.—Suffering with lock-jaw resulting from a
slight wound caused by the explosion of
a cap in a toy pistol, Andrew Jackson,
aged 17 years, residing in this city, died

to day.

An elaborate social affair will be given on the 6th, of January, by the Wilmington Light Infantry, in the presentation of the society risy. "A Modern Shakespeare." The best local talent will take out in the entariament, and it

The season opened on December 1st, and there has been great activity in these circles.

The Phi Delta Thetas have rented the College house formerly occupied by Dr. Dodd adjoining the campus, and will immediately convert it into a regular Fraternity House.

The Rev. Mr. Dadmun, the newly appointed minister of the Methodist Church, has made a most favorable impression in the community as well as the church, and it is predicted that he will be unusually successfully at this charge. Ho is an entergetic young man and u forcible speaker. He met most of the members of Theology last when Rev. J. W. Morris, of Richmond, came up to address the students in the Chapel.

The next meeting of the Ashland Musled and Club will be held at the residence of Prof. R. B. Smithey, on January 8th, at which time a special program will be rendered by visiting talent, assisted by the members of the Club.

A very delightful musical entertainment was rendered last Monday evening by Mrs. Jeannette Vest at her residence, The flower puzzle created special interest, affording much merriment.

Mr. Nat Lancaster was called to the death bed of his mother, Mrs. F. V. Lancaster at "Rechelle" near Farmville on Wednesday.

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Paper's Uses.

Artificial teeth and "uppers" for boots and shoes are among the new uses to wolfare, it gets back an important fraprise, which it had given away some years ago.

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